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Spring Prints

We have about 100 pieces of Prints in 8 to 14 yard ends

At Greatly Reduced Prices

Heavy Woolen Underwear
Flannel Shirts

25 percent Reduction

Felt Shoes Sheepskin Coats
Overcoats

Pineapples

Gallon Cans at \$1.10

**A Full Stock of
Fresh Groceries
Always on Hand**

Scott & Coy.

Fall in Line and Skate While the Season Lasts

We have a good supply of skates all sizes for both Ladies and Gentlemen.

We have the Famous Lunn Laminated Hockey Skates, which we sell for \$6.00 the pair.

We also have the Automobile Skates at \$6.00.

As a medium priced skates, we have Edward Engels's guaranteed fine of skates, highly finished. These range in price from \$3.50 per pair up.

For Hockey enthusiasts we have a good range of handmade sticks for 95c.

Come early and make your selection, as you will have a fine assortment to choose from.

W. C. Hoskins,
Always for the best Hardware.

Local Items

Mr. J. Mullaney of Calgary was in town during the latter part of last week.

Messrs. J. W. Blood, A. Cook and A. Moskeyn of Vandyne, were visitors in town last Friday.

Mr. Wm. McAllister of Govan, Sask., spent the day in town last Friday.

W. D. Bentley, H. C. Logan, A. J. Trewin, and H. H. Hanson returned to town last Saturday, after attending the U. F. A. Convention, which was held in Edmonton.

Mr. J. Howard Alexander, returned from Medicine Hat on Saturday.

Mr. Robert McCallum, of Sunnyside, was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Mr. D. C. McArthur of Calgary was a visitor in town on Monday.

Mr. J. W. Dyle of Calgary spent the day in town on last Monday.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lees of Oyen, a son, on Monday, January 26th.

Mr. F. E. Brown of Fairmeers left for Custer, Alta., on Tuesday morning. He will spend the remainder of the winter months there.

Luthern Services at the Abbott School on sec. 9-27-4, on Sunday, Febr. 11th, in the Scandinavian language at 2:30 p.m., in the English language at 3:15 p.m.

The Elder Daniel MacGregor of 32-2-4, arrived in town on Tuesday, from his trip to Calgary and Edmonton. He will hold his weekly meetings every Sunday at 3:00 p. m., and a hearty welcome will be given to all friends at his house. He extends greetings to all friends at Cappon, and trusts to meet them soon.

Don't forget the skating carnival at the rink on Tuesday night, February 2nd. Twenty-five per cent of the receipts will be given to the Belgian Relief Fund.

A dance will be given in the Superior School house to-morrow night (Friday) Everybody welcome.

A meeting will be held in the Fire Hall on Friday afternoon for the purpose of re-organizing the Fire Brigade and hearing an address from the fire chief. The meeting will be followed by fire drill.

The Cereal Hockey team will be here next Thursday to play a return game. Keep the date in mind. Thursday, February 4th.

Mr. D. C. Burkholder, is steadily improving. His friends all wish him a complete and speedy recovery, and hope it will not be long before they see him able to get around.

Matt Klassen, of Fairmeers, was in town yesterday.

Messrs. H. and J. McDonald of Cappon were in town yesterday morning.

Don't forget the carnival on Tuesday night. Only those wearing costumes will be allowed on the ice previous to 9:15 p. m.

Mr. A. A. Owens returned from Calgary on Saturday after a short business trip.

Tobogan Party at Sunnyside Ranch

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Alexander, and Miss Marjorie Alexander entertained a number of their friends at Sunnyside Ranch, last night, at a tobogan party and supper.

The guests drove out from Oyen in a large sleigh, and had a merry time both going out and coming back. On approaching the Ranch the party announced their arrival by a series of whoops and yells, which brought the host and hostesses out to welcome them.

Tobogganing was indulged in until after ten o'clock, when the party came in-doors and sat down to a delightful supper after which various games were played. The party returned to town shortly after midnight after having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Liberal Convention at Medicine Hat

Of 78 Delegates, 68 Attend

The interest shown in the Liberal convention which was held in Medicine Hat last week, was most gratifying to all concerned. Out of seventy-eight delegates named to attend the convention, 68 were present, which may be taken as evidence that this party is in a flourishing condition and the interest among the workers has lagged in no way.

W. A. Buchanan, M. P., made a fine, forceful speech which brought forth cheer after cheer from his audience. Mr. A. Allen, president of the Alberta Liberal Association, and the Hon. C. R. Mitchell were the other two principal speakers of the day. Lorne Laidlaw, president of the Medicine Hat Association, acted as chairman of the convention and his interjections of humorous remarks kept his hearers in exceptionally good humour. Five nominees were named to contest the seat in the riding of Medicine Hat in opposition to Nelson Spencer the conservative candidate for the riding, and of the five, Dr. Oliver Boyd was subsequently made the unanimous choice of the meeting. He accepted the nomination in a neat speech in which he thanked the convention for the honour they had bestowed upon him.

The Hat's constituency is made up of three constituencies namely: Medicine Hat Red-cliff and Assiniboia. The convention elected two vice-presidents from the latter constituencies and one from the former, as follows:—Medicine Hat: George Murray, Seven Persons. Red-cliff: Gordon Campbell, Empress: H. Johnston, Cabstaff. Assiniboia: M. J. Hewitt, Chinoak; J. Howard Alexander, Oyen.

The following executive committee was elected:— Assiniboia: Geo. Campbell, Youngtown; W. Denton, Benton; F. Kennedy, Vandyne; H. Hallman, Alstak; H. Muhlbach, Muhlbach. Red-cliff: F. Gillin, Jawbury; J. Ladd, Carleton Place; J. H. Taylor, Red-cliff; W. Smith, Vail; Geo. Wilson, Empress. Medicine Hat: H. Foster, Seven Persons; Jas. Robinson, Elkwater; K. E. Starks, Medicine Hat; C. Beny, Irvine; and D. McDougall, Winnipeg.

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Extra-ordinary Values

IN

Plough Shares

Before placing your order elsewhere,

SEE

James Lees,

Oyen, Alta

Lamps ! Lamps !

The long winter evenings are here!

We have a good assortment of Gasoline and Coal Oil lamps and Electric Pocket flashers.

Foot Warmers and Bricks.

... AT ...

A. A. OWENS'

"The Hardware Man"

Sweater Specials

A Sweater can be worn with comfort every month in the year. We have still a good assortment to choose from, so to make you an inducement we offer One-quarter Off Regular Retail Price

AT

Oyen Hockey Pennants
Special—Two-Bits Each

S. A. Miller & Co.

Make the Liver Do its Duty

Nine times in ten, the liver is right the most important and best of all organs in the body.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

They are the only pills that do not cause constipation, and they are the only pills that are gentle on the stomach.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

Genuine with our Signature



WHY WORRY?

Choose your variety and ask your grocer for "Clark's".

Clark's

Delicately flavoured - Highly Crisp - Guaranteed.

MRS. HOUSEKEEPER

Christmas time you have a little extra money. Why not make the home a present of an Eddy Washboard and an Eddy Indurated Fibreware Tub?

You will find the benefit every washday in the year, for the Indurated Tub keeps the water hot for so long that it saves much lifting and carrying of water—and the washboards have a special cream which without tearing the clothes, loosens the dirt very easily.

Buy your home a Xmas present, Mrs. Housekeeper, but be sure they are EDDY'S

CHILDREN TEETHING

There is very common cause for LAUGHS DURING THE TEETHING PERIOD.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP

PURELY VEGETABLE—NOT NARCOTIC

THE NEW PREVENTIVE FOR ALL THE CHILDREN'S TEETHING TROUBLES. It soothes the inflamed membrane, cures the fever, and keeps the child comfortable.

PATENTS

Featuring patents & Co. Ltd. office, King street east, Toronto, Canada.

Need Veterinary Officers

An official position is vacant. A large number of veterinary officers are wanted by the military department at Ottawa for service in the imperial army veterinary corps at the front, almost immediately.

A number more are wanted from all over Canada for service in the second Canadian expeditionary force. Properly qualified veterinarians are required who desire to go would oblige by writing direct to the Quartermaster-General, D. A. Macdonald, Ottawa, and give to the district or military officer commanding their immediate locality.

Trade Director—He, Walter, there's not a drop of rat poison in this mixture. Fresh Water—Some little bird told me, I suppose?

Trade Director—Yes, a swallow!—Prison Guard.

I had a boiler sent me for breakfast with the name Genevieve. Now, isn't that romantic? I didn't stir me up at being so romantic. There was also the date, 1914.

23 THE PATS

Man—I want you to point me a life-size picture of the man I caught on my vacation. He was about two feet in length.

Woman—How long?

Man—Heater make it five feet. I don't like to exaggerate too much.

Chicago News.

First Business Man—To what do you attribute your success?

Second Business Man—To the fact that I was always first at the office. For several years I caught the elevator first to my town.

Third Business Man—I, too! All due to my early training.

Hoarding England's Gold

Shrinkage in Supply is Noticeable and is Surmised That Agents of the Kaiser are Storing it.

The amount of treasure gold in England. It is suggested that a great deal of mining gold is in the hands of Germany or has been smuggled abroad by German agents. The gold is being used in England for the same opportunity as the gold in Germany. The gold in England is being used for the same opportunity as the gold in Germany. The gold in England is being used for the same opportunity as the gold in Germany.

PALE AND SICKLY BOYS AND GIRLS

Head All the Strength That Good Red Blood Can Give

Youths is the time to lay the foundation for health. Every boy and girl should be given a pure, red blood and strong nerves. With this, impure blood, the body is weak and the mind is dull. The sign of this, impure blood is a pale, yellowish, or greenish tint to the face. It is not until after the battle of London, however, that his sex was discovered and he was discharged.

Women as Soldiers

Get into Battle Line

The army authorities are having their eyes turned toward the women who have volunteered in the ranks. The women who have volunteered in the ranks are being trained for the same work as the men. The women who have volunteered in the ranks are being trained for the same work as the men.

Children Suffer the Worst

Red Cross Nurses Tell of Hardships Youngsters Undergo in War

"Amid all the horrors of this war, there is none that compares with the sufferings of the children. The children are being used for the same work as the men. The children are being used for the same work as the men.

THAT GOLD YOU HAVE

Bring that sickness, doctors' bills and loss of work; you know that serious illness is the cause of the loss of a cold only exists where weakness exists. Remember that.

It is the pure medicinal nourishment in Scott's Emulsion that quickly restores the strength of the body and helps heal the air passages.

What Will be Done With Refugees

From Belgium?

The question of the repatriation of the Belgian refugees in England has been a subject of much discussion. The refugees are being used for the same work as the men. The refugees are being used for the same work as the men.

The Unlucky Belgian

Lord Arthur is a man of many talents. He is a man of many talents. He is a man of many talents. He is a man of many talents. He is a man of many talents.

Death of a Brave Man

"Get Cover, Boys; They're Firing at You"

"I was killed by a heavy bullet," said a man who was killed by a heavy bullet. He was killed by a heavy bullet. He was killed by a heavy bullet. He was killed by a heavy bullet.

Protecting Implements From Rust

A correspondent of the Humberd Magazine gives this advice on this subject.

Household things because it does not rust. Household things because it does not rust. Household things because it does not rust. Household things because it does not rust.

British Wants Eggs and Flour

Also said to be Opening For Woolen Goods

The British government is looking for woolen goods. The British government is looking for woolen goods. The British government is looking for woolen goods. The British government is looking for woolen goods.

Bluffing the Enemy

Dangerous But Successful Division

A great group of men is described by Lance Corporal H. G. Gibson, of the British Expeditionary Force. The group of men is described by Lance Corporal H. G. Gibson, of the British Expeditionary Force. The group of men is described by Lance Corporal H. G. Gibson, of the British Expeditionary Force.

Minard's Linture Cures Disentangler

It was the usual charge of struggling humanity when the 'bus pulled up by the pavement. But the driver was behind time and he did not want to lose any more time.

Barber Shop

It was in a suburban barber shop, with a wavy head of stubby beard had seated himself in a chair to have his whiskers combed.

Armored Motor Cars

Put to Good Use in Rounding up the Uhlans

An officer of the Army Medical Corps has written a letter to the Uhlans, telling of the excellent use of the armored motor cars.

English News

English News (selling station) has been sent to the Uhlans. The English News (selling station) has been sent to the Uhlans. The English News (selling station) has been sent to the Uhlans.

Wanted Without Pain

Putnam's Painless Wart and Corn Remover has never been so successful. Putnam's Painless Wart and Corn Remover has never been so successful. Putnam's Painless Wart and Corn Remover has never been so successful.

Worn out by a long series of

applying French exercises, wherein the French exercises were applied. The French exercises were applied. The French exercises were applied. The French exercises were applied.

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Man—I want you to point me a life-size

picture of the man I caught on my vacation. He was about two feet in length. He was about two feet in length. He was about two feet in length.

Sore Eyes

Granulated Eyelids, Redness, Itching, and other symptoms. Granulated Eyelids, Redness, Itching, and other symptoms. Granulated Eyelids, Redness, Itching, and other symptoms.

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Changes for Friday advertising must be in this office by Tuesday noon for publication in the following Thursday's issue.

Chas. L. Dunford, Editor.

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Village of Oyen**MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.**

Thomas Love Chairman
P. J. Whitehead, Sec'y-Treas.
Wm. Becker.
J. S. Thomson.
Regular meetings are held on the first Monday of each month.

Board of Trade**OFFICERS**

John Schmitt, President; R. E. Kelly, Vice-President; C. L. Dunford, Secretary-Treasurer. Regular meetings last Friday of each month.

Rural Municipality**of Cereal No. 242.****MEMBERS**

J. C. Cottrell, Reeve Cereal.
T. DeL. Deputy Reeve (Hemdale).
Ed. McKee, Sundridge.
John L. Tipper, Oyen.
W. H. Adlington, Cereus.
John M. Taylor, Oyen.
The next meeting will be held in Oyen on Tuesday, February 2nd. 15.
J. Howard Alexander, Sec'y-Treas. Oyen, Alta.

Rural Municipality of**Golden Center No. 272.****MEMBERS**

Robt Gardiner, Reeve Seal, Alta.
Rufus Gates Deputy Reeve, Faircross, Alta.
W. C. Tait, Cereus, Alta.
H. E. Logan, Faircross, Alta.
C. C. Wilson, Sundridge, Alta.
J. R. McConnell, New Brighton, Alta.
Date of meeting 1st, Wednesday in each month, 11:00 a. m. Place of meeting, J. C. Nicholls (13-35-5).
Ralph Greene, Sec'y-Treas., Cereus, Alta.

OYEN METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday Jan. 31st.

Sunday School 2:30 p. m.
Preaching Service 7:30 p. m.
Bentons School 3:00 p. m.
Brays 11 a. m.

Rev. Geo. A. Steele, Pastor.

Phoenix Bargain Period

The real bargain in Newspapers is The Saskatoon Phoenix, at the Bargain Period rate of \$2.00 per year. Subscriptions must be sent in between Feb. 1st and 7th.

This paper will take your subscription and send it in without extra charge or you can forward the money direct to The Phoenix, Saskatoon.

Spirit of the British People**An American Impression**

A vivid impression of the spirit in which Great Britain is waging this war is given by the New York "Journal of Commerce" in an interview with Mr. C. W. Barron, president of Messrs. Dow, Jones, and Co., of New York, and manager of Boston and Philadelphia news-bureaus, on his return to America after a trip to England and the Continent to study financial aspects of the war. Mr. Barron said:

"Germany has contributed a lot to the science of the world, but as respects freedom and the individual and politics and government she has not had right thought. The German people have believed that government was a thing apart from the people, and that the code of morality as applied to the individual does not apply to the Government. Germany will pay heavily for this false belief."

"The war will end as soon as Germany is exhausted and surrenders. Talks of American arbitration are foolish. Germany cannot hold out many months. . . .

"Germany is paying the biggest cost in humanity and blood in paying the biggest cost financially. Germany has everything to lose and Great Britain has everything to save and to gain, and she is entitled to it all because she is fighting the battle of the Western civilization."

"She is willing to add five thousand million dollars, or five times our National Debt, to her present indebtedness to see this war through to a finish, and it is not King George who is at war. It is the whole of England and the people of the British Empire, who are willing to put their all in the fire of war for the defence of the English civilization."

"It is worth a trip across the ocean to see the united, determined spirit of the English people. There is no limit to the sacrifices they will make, and they do not look for a short war. They welcome a long one. They have a contempt for compromise in this matter, and sincere arbitration."

"The Belgian King, with his troops in the trenches, is the hero of Europe to-day."

"England is not looking for any financial indemnity from Germany. She thinks that it will take all that Germany can give to repair the damage in Belgium, and the British lion is determined that Germany shall repair the damage to the last penny so far as money can repair it."

"The English people are not shouting, are not boasting, are not talking. They are simply in a state of great determination, a determination of which Germany has no conception or she would never have attempted to invade France by way of Liege or Louvain."

"Europe looks to us to finance South America and some parts of Canada, and welcomes our new Bank Act as a blessing to the whole civilised world."

—Manchester (Eng.) Guardian.

A Pause

A judge in remanding a criminal called him a scoundrel. The prisoner replied, "Sir, I am not as big a scoundrel as your honor," here the culprit stopped but finally added—"takes me to be."

"Put your words closely together," said the judge. "Argonaut."

Letter from Salisbury**A Letter to the Editor**

Salisbury Plain, England
January 7th, 1915.

Dear Charlie,

You will notice by the above address that I am no longer a mere civilian but a common or garden private.

I have been home several times and have also paid two visits to Newcastle and had quite a good time, renewing my acquaintance with the various young ladies. I may say that my moultache created quite a sensation.

I think I shall apply for a commission as it seems to be fairly easy to get one, and I imagine I could do as well as some of them.

I hope you will pardon me for not writing to you but I unfortunately mislaid your address. But asked me your whereabouts when I saw Mr. Sheela at home. I think, also, that she said you owe her a letter, although I am not certain. Laurelet has been at the front for nearly two months now, a dispatch rider in the Royal Engineers. He has smashed up two machines up to the present but so far has kept a whole skin.

There are numerous rumours about as to when we are going but it still seems as far off as ever. We have quite a few men in the various hospitals. If we are kept in England very much longer there will be no contingent to send to France.

We were in tents up to Dec. 8th, only the mud got too bad and they moved us into huts.

The huts are alright and we really are quite a happy party.

Personally I don't understand how the men manage to get sick. I grow fat on the treatment. The last time I weighed I found that I had put on nearly twenty pounds since I enlisted. We have not been doing much drill for over a month, mostly construction work (a polite way of saying pick and shovel work). I have figured in the building of railroads, roads and ditches, and am getting quite expert with the pick. To tell the truth I rather enjoy it and feel fine. There is one thing—I have always a "trade" to fall back upon. If get out of the war in anything like a whole man.

We have had a terrific amount of rain this year. Salisbury was flooded and the cathedral had feet of water in it. The postmen delivered letters by means of a punt so you will have some idea of what it was like. The natives say that they never "seed" anything like it before. I hope I never see anything like it again. If Salisbury happened to be in Canada, it would have been advertised as a new Venice. Luckily the camp is on high ground so it did not trouble us in any way except when we wanted to go to the station. One Canadian coming home from leave tried to get through the water and got washed off the road and drowned. I happened to be on picket at the time but we did not manage to get the body. The man was warned not to try it and we all thought that he had gone by another road but apparently he did not. I may add that we did not see the accident but heard of it after it had happened.

How did you happen to get to Oyen and what part of Alberta is it in?

Write to me, you old beggar. I may say that I have happened to turn into quite a good correspondent and will endeavor to keep you posted from time to time of what is happening in the army.

Your affectionate brother,
Edmont.

FINE PRINTING

Our work is making many satisfied customers for us, because Neatness and Cleanliness combined with good taste in composition is our first aim.

We have a large and widely assorted stock to choose from and solicit your patronage.

Auction Sale Bills
Posters and Handbills
Letterheads and Envelopes
Billheads and Statements
Meal Tickets, menus
Circular Letters
Reports and Notes
Show Cards, etc.,

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The Oyen News Job Print.

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Implements Waggons and Buggies Cream Separators

B. H. Dial

Licensed Auctioneer
OPEN FOR SALES

GOOD MEALS

Cleanliness and good service is our first aim. By serving good wholesome meals at reasonable prices we hope to secure and hold your patronage.

Try a Meal next time you are in town.

THE OYEN CAFE

ELLIS & BADGLEY, Proprietors.

Leave Your Name,
Address And Post Office
at

The Office of The Oyen News
For Publication
In The Oyen District Directory.

THE OYEN BILLIARD HALL.

Four Tables --- Recently Re-covered

Cigars, Cigarettes,
and Tobacco.

Westby & Wilson,

Props.

THE ALBERTA HOTEL OYEN, ALBERTA

Rates, \$1.50 & \$2.00 a day

Good Meals

Good Service

Steffensen & Bickett,

Proprietors

Seems Longer

"It seems to me," said the customer to his barber, "that you ought to lower your price for a shave in these war times. The barber shook his head sadly, and said: "Can't be done. Nowadays everybody wears such a long face that we have a great deal more surface to shave over!"

Oh, You Girls!

Doris was gazing wistfully into the glowing coals, which were burning in the grate, while her mother sat by engrossed in a book.

Suddenly the mother looked up and, noting her daughter's unusual mood, inquired:

"Doris, how do you know that this young man loves you? Has he told you so?"

"No mother, he hasn't," replied the young woman, with gladness in her voice; "but if you could only see the way he looks at me when I am not looking at him."—Lippincott's.

Excel Items

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Selvin Gullekson on Friday night, Jan. 22nd, at their home near Excel. Those who were present are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gullekson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gullekson, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith, Mrs. Marie Cragg, Mrs. Barrien, Miss Lillian Runnings, Miss Elsie Thyer, Messrs. Roy and Harry Runnings, Mr. Ernest Watson, Mr. John Abbott, Mr. Ode Thyer, and Mr. Ed. Church.

Mrs. D. C. Barkholder and Mrs. Marie Cragg spent the day at the home of Mrs. Selvin Gullekson on January 27th.

News from Benton Valley

Dance at the School-house

Quite a large gathering was present in the school house on the evening of the 20th, inst. when a very successful dance was held. The number in attendance was greater than anticipated as stormy weather prevailed throughout the night and the promoters of the dance were exceedingly pleased at the fearless way in which the visitors had faced the elements.

Refreshments were served at midnight and Mr. Evans entertained those present with a song, after which dancing was continued until after day-break, when the guests dispersed for their homes.

Considerable interest is being shown in the first annual U. F. A. concert and dance which is to be held at the Benton Valley school house on Feb. 3rd.

Mr. Wm. Denton has returned to his home after spending a few days in Calgary and Medicine Hat.

Mrs. Anderson entertained a number of her friends at a skating party and dance on Friday evening last. A most enjoyable time was spent by all present.

The assistance postmaster here is endeavouring to get a Rural Mail Route going north from Benton and another one going south. Much interest is being taken in this matter by the people of the district as they feel these rural routes will prove a great boon.

Mr. Miller has returned to his place after spending the weekend at the ranch of Mr. H. Thomas.

The farmers around here are all looking forward to a good crop this year. Let's hope they will not be disappointed! We are all looking forward to a crop. (Ed.)

Horne - McCarthy

Married on Friday afternoon, Jan. 22nd, at the parsonage in Oyen, by the Rev. Geo. Steele, Mr. John Keith Horne of Capton to Miss Mary Alvina McCarthy of Madison, Minn.

Liberal Convention

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As resolution, pledging the loyalty of the Liberal party to the Empire and its cause and also their unending support in the mighty war now raging, was unanimously passed.

The convention closed with three hearty cheers for the candidate.

Local Items

Mr. Horner Chase is a visitor in town today.

On Tuesday of last week, Rev. G. A. Steele attended a special meeting of the Youngstown District to consider the advisability of withdrawing active operations from the village of Youngstown.

On Sunday evening, Jan. 31st, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the regular service in the Methodist Church.

On Monday, Feb. 1st, at 2 p. m., the quarterly Official Board will meet in the room of the Pastor, Main Street.

Hockey

Local Boys at Cereal

The local hockey team were visitors at Cereal on Monday afternoon, when they played their first game of the season. Oyen opened the score after twelve minutes play, and added another goal after another two minutes had elapsed. Cereal responded by notching a goal just before the interval. In the second period both teams tried hard to increase their score, but when time was called the score still stood 2-1 in favor of Oyen.

While it was evident that neither team was right up to form, clean play and the friendly spirit shown between the men, made the game an interesting one for the spectators.

The local men returned on the morning train, and all spoke most highly of the hospitable treatment they had received.

The Cereal boys will play a return game here on Thursday, February 4th.

The Oyen Dramatic club are locally engaged rehearsing a play which will be put on in about a month's time, in aid of the Patriotic Fund and Belgian Relief Fund. Posters will be out in two weeks time announcing date.

Don't forget the carnival on Tuesday evening.

IS YOUR NAME IN THIS LIST?

The Patriotic and Belgian Relief Funds

The Patriotic Fund

A. E. Collinge	\$5.00
Ellis & Badgley	1.50
Scott & Co.	72.50
S. A. Miller & Co.	20.00
J. A. Odden	.75
Thos. Lees	2.50
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